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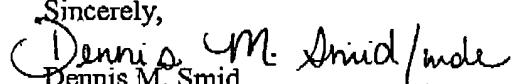
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Dear Mr. Dill:

Per our telephone conversation today, accompanying this facsimile letter a copy of the declaration which was submitted filed on August 5, 2003.

If you have any questions, or if you need anything else, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

Dennis M. Smid
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In view of the foregoing, it is believed that the
identified application is now complete. Early examination of the
application on its merits is solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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